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SUBJECT: LIBYA INTENDS SDR PRICING OF OIL EXPORTS

1. RESEARCH OFFICIAL OF CENTRAL BANK OF LIBYA TOLD ECONOFF THAT HE WILL BE TRAVELLING TO LIBREVILLE JUNE 1 WITH LIBYAN PETROLEUM MINISTER EZZ-AD-DIN MABROUK. LIBYANS, WHO SO FAR HAVE NOT JOINED GULF OPEC BROTHERS IN SWITCHING CURRENCY ALIGNMENT FROM U.S. DOLLARS TO SDRS, WILL TRY PERSUADE GABONESE TO SUPPORT LIBYAN PROPOSAL FOR USING SDRS AS BASIS OF OIL PRICES, AS WELL AS EXCHANGE STANDARD, OFFICIAL SAID.

2. IT APPEARS THAT LIBYA MAY BE SEEKING SOMEONE TO SECOND THEIR MOTION AT UPCOMING OPEC MEETING THAT OIL PRICES BE WRITTEN IN SDRS.
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